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SUBJECT: UNCTAD REVIEW OF MARITIME TRANSPORT 1976
(TD/B/C.4/169)

1. DEPARTMENT HAS REVIEWED UNCTAD DOCUMENT TD/B/C.4/169
AND HAS FOUND IT UNOBJECTIONABLE, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF
PARAGRAPH 138 ON PAGE 81 (DEALING WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF
JUSTICE ANTITRUST INVESTIGATION), WHICH IS SERIOUSLY IN-
ACCURATE. TO BE ACCURATE, PARA 138 SHOULD BE REWRITTEN
AS FOLLOWS: QUOTE 138. SIMULTANEOUSLY WITH THE STEPS TAKEN
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BY THE FMC TO CONTROL MALPRACTICES, THE UNITED STATES
JUSTICE DEPARTMENT LAUNCHED AN INVESTIGATION OF ALLEGED
ANTI-COMPETITIVE PRACTICES WHICH VIOLATE U.S. ANTITRUST
LAWS IN THE COUNTRY'S NORTH ATLANTIC TRADES. A NUMBER
OF NORTH ATLANTIC CONFERENCE LINES WERE CALLED ON TO PRO-
VIDE DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE TO A GRAND JURY IN WASHINGTON.
IT WAS REPORTED THAT THE GOVERNMENTS OF BELGIUM, FEDERAL

REPUBLIC OF GERMANY, FRANCE, NETHERLANDS, SWEDEN AND UNITED KINGDOM WHOSE SHIPPING LINES WERE SUBPOENAED OFFICIALLY PROTESTED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE OF THE UNITED STATES AGAINST THE ENQUIRY AND OBJECTED TO RELEASE BY THEIR NATIONAL LINES OF CERTAIN OF THE DOCUMENTS REQUIRED BY THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT. UNQUOTE.

2. USMISSION GENEVA IS INSTRUCTED TO CONTACT UNCTAD SECRETARIAT, POINT OUT THAT PARA 138 AS WRITTEN IS SERIOUSLY INACCURATE, AND REQUEST THAT ABOVE LANGUAGE BE SUBSTITUTED.

3. FOR OECD PARIS: PLEASE PASS ABOVE SUBSTITUTE LANGUAGE TO WOLFGANG HUBNER OF MTC SECRETARIAT, WHOM WE UNDERSTAND IS COLLECTING OECD MEMBERS' COMMENTS ON TD/B/C.4/169.

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